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That new cheese factory in Ludlow has the proper industrial flavor.

Of course Congress is not hunting for that "leak" just to make it wider.

General Pershing will not fly across the Atlantic. Neither will he flee.

The decorating of American military men by the colleges of the United States has begun.

Of course there will be a post of the American legion in Barre, with many hundreds of men to draw from for members.

Nicaragua is considerably more populous than Costa Rica, yet it is the nation to appeal to the United States for protection.

The German demonstration against the allies' peace terms is repeated in Austria. A demonstration seems to be necessary to the game.

That "economic delirium tremens" of Europe is a very apt way for Herbert Hoover to put the situation just now. Europe does stand in need of treatment.

The sawing up of 77 trees in one day stamps William Hohenzollern as a right smart woodsman who could get a job in most any lumber camp in northern Vermont.

An agricultural authority warns against permitting chickens to eat the 17-year locusts, while an eminent authority in Johns Hopkins university recommends the locusts as a diet for human beings. If the locusts are harmful to chickens, we humans may be pardoned for refusal to eat them.

The Congressional Record will jump into unusual popularity with the issue which contains the reported text of the peace treaty. Safe to say, the edition will be all sold out and the copies which find their way into waste baskets in innumerable newspaper offices will hold places of importance for a time at least.

The appointment of Frank D. Thompson as reporter of Vermont supreme court decisions probably means that some day Attorney Thompson will grace the bench. He takes the place of Sherman R. Moulton, who has recently been elected a superior judge. The position of reporter of court decisions is sometimes looked upon as the steppingstone to the bench.

Major General Cabell, commanding the United States forces on the Mexican border, asserts that there are enough forces there to meet any contingency. He probably does not reckon on the possibility that the warring Mexican factions might join in an attack on the United States, which, we admit, is not very strong in the list of probabilities. The Mexicans are too jealous a people to remain long under a single leadership and with a single purpose even though that purpose might be a desire to do injury to the United States.

The people of the village of Richford in northern Vermont are getting ready for the expansion of the industrial life of the place by organizing a corporation to be known as the Richford Home Builders, Inc., the purpose of which shall be to erect houses for the workers and their families. It is proposed to build 25 renting houses at once, as the demand for property of this sort is said to be considerable. This evidence of business progress in this thriving village is encouraging, and Richford is to be congratulated that it has live, public-spirited people who are ready to lend themselves and their efforts to such an undertaking. Richford ought to grow and develop rapidly under the impetus which this spirit gives.

In any debate on the quality of Vermont roads, the people who are accustomed to use the highway between Barre and White River Junction are sure to take the affirmative side, that is, in defense of Vermont's roads, for there is no more velvety stretch of road in northern New England than that same highway, barring some comparatively short stretches of road. So we agree with the Randolph Herald and News in suggesting that before anyone attempts to condemn Vermont highways as poor he should take a trip over this route from Barre to White River Junction, or some other of the good highways in eastern Vermont.

OUR DUTY IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

Except to protect whatever American interests may be involved in Central America, the United States ought to proceed slowly in taking sides in any squabbles which may arise between Nicaragua and Costa Rica, for we are just now trying to get out of the turmoil of international politics as much as possible. The landing of U. S. marines on Nicaraguan territory and the placing of an American warship on either coast of the Central American country which appears to be threatened by Costa Rica might easily lead to complications which would constitute an entangling alliance with



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one or the other of the little belligerents. Of course, neither Nicaragua nor Costa Rica could offer much resistance to or impose any marked aggressive action against the United States. That is not feared in the least. But what the American people do dislike is the enmity of a people and a government when it is the one great purpose of the United States to dwell in amicable relations with other nations. The avowed purpose of the United States is to live up to a high ideal, to avoid warfare and to refrain from imposing iron strength on any other country or government. If the United States should intervene in behalf of Nicaragua we should most certainly incur the ill will of Costa Rica and set back many decades the era of good feeling which is so fondly hoped for. Therefore, the United States should not commit itself to a policy of intervention or even a show of strength in behalf of one of the belligerents. We should protect American interests and offer mediation to the warring little nations. Nothing more.

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Rev. C. A. Lay delivered his farewell address to a large and attentive audience on Sunday. During his three years' pastorate here Mr. and Mrs. Lay have made many warm friends who deeply regret their going away. Mr. Lay in his excellent sermons has sown abundantly the good seed of the Word, which cannot fail to bring forth fruit in the days to come. As they go to their new field of labor, we wish them Godspeed and much success in their work.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Charges Trout Fishing with Net.

Editor, Barre Times: Some parties here last week fishing in a certain pond with a net took out seven baskets of trout. If they proceed to come again we shall look into this case, as this is not lawful fishing. John W. Fowler, Plainfield, Vt., June 9, 1919.

An Odd Person.

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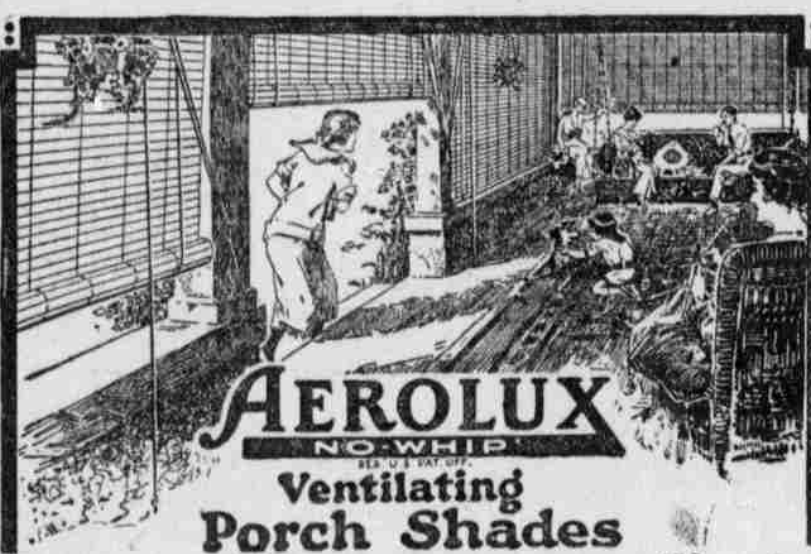
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